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7. (Currently amended) A system for exhausting smoke from a space defined by a building,
wherein the space has having an upper boundary wall, wherein the space is a space of a building, and
smoke accumulates from the upper boundary wall of the space downward, comprising:

at least one opening through the upper boundary wall of the space defined by of a building to
exhaust ~~smoke~~ from the space the smoke that accumulates from the upper boundary wall of the space
downward; and

at least one make-up air shaft communicating through the upper boundary wall
with air outside the space and extending downward from the upper boundary wall to
below the smoke.

15. (Currently amended) A method for exhausting smoke from a space defined by a building,
wherein the space has having an upper boundary wall, wherein the space is a space of a building, and
smoke accumulates from the upper boundary wall of the space downward, comprising:

exhausting ~~the smoke~~ from the space of a building through at least one opening in the
upper boundary wall the smoke that accumulates from the upper boundary wall of the space
downward; and

introducing make-up air into the space through at least one make-up air shaft
communicating through the upper boundary wall with air outside the space and extending
downward from the upper boundary wall to below the smoke.